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STABLE AQUEOUS EMULSIONS OF ALKOXYTRIMETHYLSILANE

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INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Sir:

The following statement of relevance is submitted with the accompanying Form PTO/SB/08A.

Designation

Relevance

AA

(U.S. 5,847,179)

Relates to high purity alkoxytrimethylsilane fluids.

AB

(U.S. 6,074,470)

Relates to stable constant particle size, aqueous emulsions of nonpolar silanes suitable for use in water

repellence applications.

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Relevance

CA (Hill ed.)

Relates to organosilicone surfactants.

Full text copies of the prior art are enclosed herewith. It is respectfully requested that this art be considered by the Examiner in the above-entitled application and made of record therein. It is believed that no fee is required for submission of this Information Disclosure Statement under 37 C.F.R. §1.97(b). However, if a fee is due, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge Deposit Account No. 08-1540.

Respectfully submitted,

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